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1. Reference is made to memo dated 29 September 1959 from Advisor on Training Techniques to Chief, Field Training, Subject: Talk with Dr. [REDACTED] Concerning Instructor Training, particularly paragraph 3.

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2. Referenced paragraph does not fully, nor correctly, state my position in this matter. I was very much concerned over the turn of these events even though I perhaps did not become vehement in my overt actions. I deplored the fact to Mr. [REDACTED] that other types of course work required the priority services of these new instructors rather than their initial assignment to an instructor training session. I made the point that it might even be possible that the information and training that these new instructors would receive in an instructional course would better qualify them to perform this other type of course work. It is true that I indicated to Mr. [REDACTED] that if one or the other of the two previously scheduled Instructional Techniques Courses had to be canceled, it would not upset me too much since I did have some substitute plans which could be then implemented--not that I was "glad to get out from under the responsibility of one of the weeks" to the point of abandoning one of my major responsibilities.

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3. I am well aware that the late arrival of many new instructors at [REDACTED] and the comparatively very short time available to them for preparation for their new duties made it necessary to give up the Instructional Techniques Courses. However, I would hope that in the near future another opportunity will arise whereby our services can again be scheduled for Instructional Techniques Courses since I believe strongly that the ultimate useful effectiveness of an instructor depends to a large extent upon his professional training and experiences as well as his operational and technical training and experiences.

4. Even though my personal schedule is quite crowded through April 1960, I desire that CF/OS still feel free to call upon me for whatever services I may be able to perform for him and in any other manner supplementing the work of Mr. [REDACTED]

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